

TUESDAY, February 16th, 1858.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by Rev. Mr Davenport.

Present at the call of the roll, the following members :

Messrs. Berry, Speaker, Morgan, Neale, Wickes, Meginnis, Tongue, Mackubin, Kilbourn, Griffiss, Magruder, Burgess, Stonestreet, Walker, Ford, of Baltimore county, Lynch, of Baltimore county, Smith, of Baltimore county, Goldsborough, Waller, Moore, Sudler, of Somerset, Tilghman, Dail, Richardson, Grieves, Davis, Ford, of Cecil, Kidd, Belt, Wyville, Larrimore, Sudler, of Q. Anne's, Landing, Spence, Hearn, Harding, Bowlus, Root, Koons, Hanway, Bacon, Baker, McGonigal, Stirling, Rogers, McPherson, Smith, of Baltimore city, Kennard, Lynch, of Baltimore city, Harrington, Crowley, Forrest, Alexander, Rohrer, Gray, Schnebly, Duvall, Worthington, McKinstry, Reindollar, Day and Wel-
ling.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following mes-
sage:

By the Senate,
February 13th, 1858.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message proposing to appoint a joint committee of three members from the Senate, and three from the House of Delegates, to examine into the condition of the original papers and records of the late High Court of Chancery, with a view to ascertain whether said records should be completed, and concur therein. We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Kimmel, Brooke and Nuttle.

By order,

C. HARWOOD,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Also, returned the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Village of Leonardtown, in St. Mary's county;

Endorsed, "passed by yeas and nays," with proposed amendments.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

Insert after the word "commissioner," in the sixth line of the 3d section the word "elect."

Strike out the word "penalty," in the fourth and seventh lines of the 13th section.

Strike out the word "constables," in the third, eighth and fourteenth lines of section 16.